

**U.S. District Court**  
**District of Columbia (Washington, DC)**  
**CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:19-cv-00009-RBW**

MIDDLE EAST FORUM v. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
Assigned to: Judge Reggie B. Walton  
Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 01/02/2019  
Jury Demand: None  
Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of Information Act  
Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
01/02/2019	<u>1</u>	COMPLAINT against DEPARTMENT OF STATE ( Filing fee \$ 400 receipt number 0090-5866125) filed by MIDDLE EAST FORUM. (Attachment: # <u>1</u> Civil Cover Sheet, # <u>2</u> Summons) (Smith, Clifford) (Entered: 01/02/2019)
01/03/2019		Case Assigned to Judge Reggie B. Walton. (zsb) (Entered: 01/03/2019)
01/03/2019	<u>2</u>	SUMMONS (1) Issued Electronically as to U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE. (Attachment: # <u>1</u> Notice and Consent)(zsb) (Entered: 01/03/2019)
02/20/2019	<u>3</u>	MOTION to Issue Summons by MIDDLE EAST FORUM (Smith, Clifford) (Entered: 02/20/2019)
02/20/2019	<u>4</u>	MOTION to Issue Summons USA by MIDDLE EAST FORUM (Smith, Clifford) . (Entered: 02/20/2019)
02/25/2019	<u>5</u>	SUMMONS (1) Issued Electronically as to U.S. Attorney General (ztd) (Entered: 02/25/2019)
03/14/2019	<u>6</u>	SUMMONS (1) Issued Electronically as to U.S. Attorney (ztd) (Entered: 03/14/2019)
04/19/2019	<u>7</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Marsha Wellknown Yee on behalf of U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE (Yee, Marsha) (Entered: 04/19/2019)
04/22/2019	<u>8</u>	ANSWER to Complaint by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE.(Yee, Marsha) (Entered: 04/22/2019)

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